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In response to the office action mailed September 22, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Art Unit: 1652 In re Application of: KAPPERLER, et al. Examiner: SLOBODYANSKY, E. Serial No.: 10/807,115 Washington, D.C. Filed: March 24, 2004 Atty.'s Docket: KAPPELER=1B For: METHOD OF PRODUCING NON-BOVINE CHYMOSIN AND USE HEREOF Date: February 22, 2007 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Customer Service Window FEB 2 2 2007 Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314 Transmitted herewith is an [XX] Amendment; Marked-up 892s; Figures A and B; Exhibits C-K in the above-identified [] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted. Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously asserted. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed. The fee has been calculated as shown below: Small Entity (Col. 2) (Col. 3) (Col. 1) Additional Additional Rate Highest No. Present Extra Remaining Previously Paid For Amendment \$ x 50 S 0 x 25 Minus 20 Total n x100 \$ x200 Ś Minus 3 Indep. Ś +360 First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim ŝ Ś Total ADDITIONAL CLAIMS * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

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